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RESPONSE

This document is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliance mailed on May 29, 2008 concerning the amendment document filed on October 31, 2007. Dependent Claim 16 has been changed to depend from Claim 8 and is submitted anew. Applicants also request for withdrawal of the requirement for a supplemental oath for the reasons contained herein.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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